

Appln. No.: 10/089,232

Response to Restriction Requirement dated October 12, 2004 (Day after Columbus Day Holiday)  
Reply to Office Action of September 9, 2004

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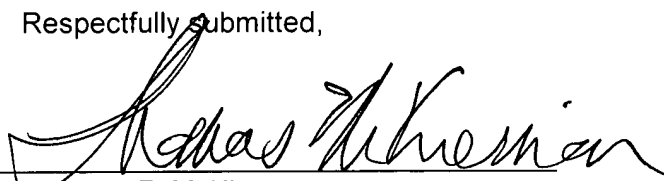
**REMARKS**

In an Office Action dated September 9, 2004, claims 1-17 and 39 were allowed. Claims 18-38 are cancelled without prejudice or disclaimer, because prosecution has been closed and the Office action states an apparent intention to do it anyway, and not for any reason of patentability. Applicant reserves the right to file divisional applications directed to any and all of the cancelled claims.

Applicant sincerely appreciates the indicated allowability of claims 1-17 and 39, and submits that the present application is now in condition for allowance. Reconsideration and favorable action are earnestly requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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